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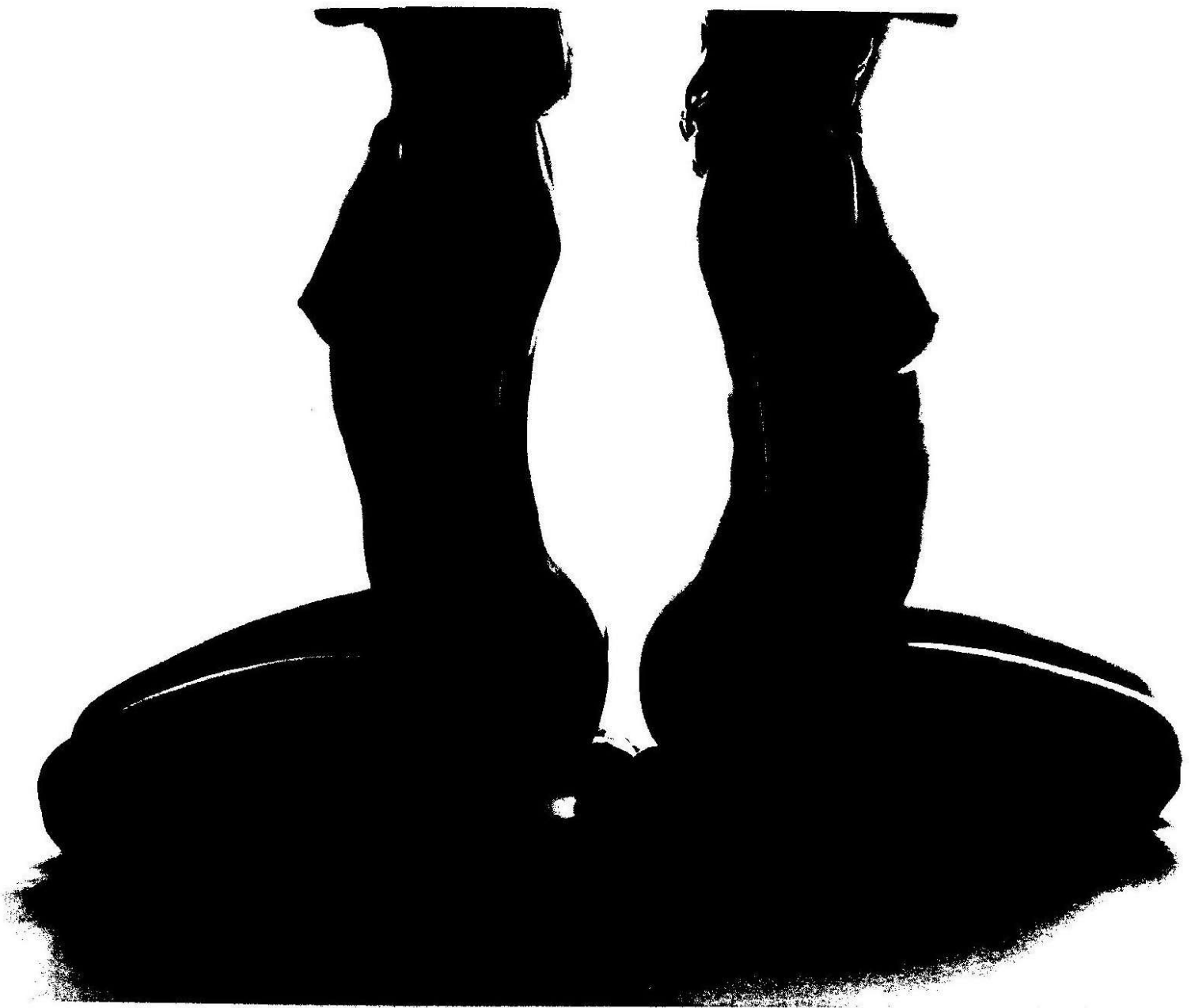

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ON OUR COVER

VARIATIONS

The photograph on the front cover is part of a photo exhibit by Keith Good and Mari Kane on display at the Center from September 2 through November 2. There will be a reception to meet the artists on September 9, 7:00 to 10:00 PM.

Exploring physical dynamics of bisexual relationships is the theme of the show and the first of its kind that we know of. Keith and Mari present black and white photographs as an ongoing project so you have the option of taking part in the creation of this project.

This work is a combination of black, white and gray prints and experimental solarized prints that resemble line drawings. All images were photographed in the studio using a wide range of lighting techniques and body types. The show is an ongoing project and new models are needed to volunteer.

Mari, who has been a photographer for the past six years, and Keith, who has been doing photography for the past ten years, are a husband and wife team. They have been collaborating on photography projects since they moved to the City three years ago. Currently their work consists of nudes, portraits, dance, journalism, and weddings.

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WOMEN'S EVENTS

DINNER AND DANCING

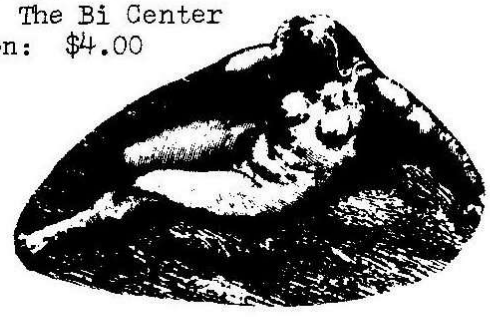
This will be a potluck, semiformal affair. Bring your favorite dish and your dancing shoes. We will have a sit-down dinner by candlelight with dancing afterwards.

When: Saturday, September 10th
Time: 7:30 PM
Place: The Bi Center
Donation: $4.00

MASSAGE NIGHT

We are going to do it again! Various massage techniques will be demonstrated, then we will practice on each other. Bring a sheet, towel, oil and a snack to share. No explicit sex.

When: Saturday, September 17th
Time: 8:00 PM
Place: The Bi Center
Donation: $4.00



EXCURSION TO KABUKI HOT SPRING

Kabuki is a Japanese style bath house. It has a large sauna and steamroom. Meet at the Bi Center to form carpools at 4:00 PM or meet us there: Japantown, 1750 Geary. (Rumor has it that we may be going out to dinner afterwards)

When: Sunday, October 9th
Time: 4:00 PM
Place: Meet at the Bi Center
Donation: $2.00 to the Bi Center
$7.00 for bath house

MOVIE NIGHTS

Movie nights for women continue with:

Monday, September 26th, 7:30 PM
"Quiet Afternoon" - an interracial couple share an afternoon of music, massage and sexuality. This is a beautiful film, explicitly showing a woman and man being sexual. Donation: $5.00.

Monday, September 19th, 7:30 PM
At the regular women's rap group, we will show the movie "A Special Place" which was originally scheduled for August 22 but was unavailable at that time. There will be no extra donation for this showing.

NEWSLETTER

Your articles, poems, stories (principally related to bisexuality), and drawings, are needed for the Bi-Monthly. All contributions must be in by the start of the next layout session to be considered for the next issue.

Schedule:

LAYOUT: Sunday, Oct. 16th, from 11:00 AM to 4:00 PM

PASTEUP: Sunday, Oct. 23rd, from 11:00 AM to 4:00 PM

Your help at these sessions is invited in typing, setting up titles, cutting and pasting, and other jobs. No previous experience is necessary, and you don't have to stay for the entire session. A regular newsletter staff is sorely needed; call Nate if you can contribute your time and energy every couple of months.

MARIN RAP GROUP EPILOGUE

For those readers and members who've been wondering, "What ever happened to the Marin rap group?":

We met six times from March 14th through May 23rd. It was a good experience, although the energy to carry on, especially from Marin women, was not forthcoming, so I decided to take a summer break. Upon further consideration, I realized that with my need to move on to other projects, and the need of the Bi Center for more support, the revival of the Marin contingent in the fall was not a priority.

I'm happy to report that there was a $25 surplus in donations over expenses which goes to the Bi Center.

- Mary Louise Bodin

BISEXUAL PARENTING IN THE 80's

– OR –

" MOMMY, WHAT'S A DYKE ? "

--by Charlene Michael--

PART II: A BISEXUAL BO-BO

One of the largest concerns for me as a bisexual person has been that of seeking out role models in terms of maintaining my intimate relationships with people. As a child, I remember looking first and foremost to my mother. Throughout my adolescence I patterned my behavior after hers. Then, while in my early 20's, I began to understand that what worked for my mother would not work for me.

My mother is a kind, generous, self-sacrificing woman, with a special intuitiveness emanating from her heart. She is also a heterosexual, and as a person is dependent upon men, usually one man, for her happiness and contentment. After her third divorce, however, I noticed her finally looking to herself for validation she continues to struggle with this aspec of womanhood.

This change in my mother brought us close together. For years, I had distanced myself from her, for I had made the mistake of separating myself from a person instead of an attitude. I had blamed my mother for "making me" a heterosexual, dependent woman, afraid of my own body, afraid to love women. I looked to other sources, primarily the Bi Center, for support, and for new role models.

And now, at this stage of my parenthood, I find myself petrified at the thought tha my daughter will copy me as I did my own mother. There is no doubt that I have no overcome all of my conditioning around social and sexual roles. I've also not yet quit smoking (although I did quit while I was pregnant and breastfeeding).

Still as real to me as the day it happened was the time I went into my room and lit up my first cigarette at age 12, blissfully throwing the matches onto the dresser, convinced it would make me as beautiful as my mother was when she threw a matchbook down. I was in love with her.

Today I find myself wondering, is this fear my own, or <u>will</u> my daughter copy me as I did my own mother? My mind wanders to Bo-Bo the Clown, whom I learned of in a psychology class in college. In a classic experiment now 20 years old, some children watched an adult behaving aggressively toward Bo-Bo, a blow-up doll. Three groups of children observed Bo-Bo being kicked, thrown about, and so on, each group through a different form of media: live action, a movie, and a cartoon. The children were then frustrated by having toys taken from them while happily at play, and were given Bo-Bo instead. Most of the children in all three groups proceeded to imitate the aggression they had seen performed on poor Bo-Bo (in fact, some of them made up new tortures of their own!). By the way, the groups which had watched the movie and cartoon were only slightly less aggressive than the group which had observed the live action.

The story of Bo-Bo has haunted me. I find wild, fantastical conclusions drawn from this experiment leaping at me: Do I have to kiss women in front of the kids as often as I kiss men in order to teach that there are options? Do the kids need to have an equal number of jeans and dresses? If one of them decides, at the appropriate time, to identify as bi, will I be accused of making them bi? With thoughts like these, I begin to feel like Bo-Bo after a while.

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It helps me to know that behavioral research rules out the suggestion that children blindly imitate adults. It has been shown, however, that action rather than words is the larger factor in modeling. As a parent, I am more acutely concerned with my issues around bisexuality than I was before, largely due to this modeling factor. Along with this concern, however, as valid as that concern is, I have had to realize that coming to terms with my bisexuality is a process. It can't be done conveniently in one day so that my children won't grow up socially inept with all sorts of sexual hangups. I have had to learn, first of all, to accept my fears and misguided attitudes for what they are (they are a part of me), and secondly, to let the people I love see me in an unbalanced, unenlightened act without trying to rationalize my faults. I want somehow to teach those who look up to me that growing up is a lifelong process. I want to build up a mutual trust with my kids that will serve as a sturdy foundation when the times come that they need to become more of themselves than of me.

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RUN THAT BI ME AGAIN....

by C_J 1983

Bi - Who
Bi - Me
Bi - Into
Be - Free
Bi - Intimate
Bi - Sensual
Bi - Golly
Bi - Gee
Bi - Positive
Bi - Being
Bi - Watching
Bi - Seeing
Bi - Center-ed
Bi - Able
Bi - Freedom
Bi - We
Bi - Degradeable
Bi - High
Bi - Gone
and
Bi - Bye

Dedicated to Marilyn King (& Peter) for introducing me to the Bi Center

MOTHERTONGUE

A Review by Nate Brown

Rarely have I been as absolutely enthralled by a theatrical presentation as I was with MOTHERTONGUE's "Did you come or fake it" Women and Sexuality reading at the Live Oak Theatre in Berkeley on August 26th. More than anything else it made me look inside myself at the ways I have identified women in the past, and how I can better challenge myself to see them as individuals and how society has stereotyped all of us to think and act in certain ways, rather than be free to express our emotions and feelings as open, loving human beings.

Collectively composed from the life experiences of many Mothertongue members and women in the Bay Area, the script explores the diverse range of women's sexuality with candid humor and honest emotion. The fast-paced 1½ hour production presents stories, dialogue, scenarios and testimonies, turning inside our assumptions that sexual politics means conformity, or that women's sexuality is anything other than an open issue. The performance challenges everyone to take a deep breath, let go with a laugh, and take a closer look at our lives and identities. A discussion after the performance is led by members of the cast (often as revealing as the actual presentation!).

The next presentation of this script will be in Marin County in mid-September; following this, it will be given at Valencia Rose in mid-December. For more information, and to get on their mailing list, write to Mothertongue Readers Theatre, 3543 18th St, San Francisco, CA. 94110, or leave a message at the Women's Building of S.F., 431-1180.

Don't miss this one!

(my thanks to Lani for some of the information I used in this review)

PLAYING WITH MYSELF, PLAYING WITH OTHERS **$48**
Joseph Kramer **548-0620**
A: Telegraph & Ashby, Berkeley—4 meetings Wednesdays 8-10:30pm starts September 14.
B: Telegraph & Ashby, Berkeley—4 meetings Wednesdays 8-10:30pm starts October 12.
A seminar on masturbation and erotic massage for gay and bisexual men. Seminar topics will include: thawing out the body, enhancing relationships, overcoming barriers to intimacy, improving self-esteem through erotic ritual, erotic meditation techniques, avoiding AIDS panic, yin and yang sex, difference between ejaculation and orgasm, breathing, massage, acupressure. There will be no sex in class but plenty of creative, pleasurable homework assignments.
Joseph Kramer, a certified bodyworker with a master's degree in spirituality and sexuality, has counseled in the University of California at Berkeley's Gay Counseling program.

Letters

Dear Bi Center:

I love you! and wanted to share some of my good fortune and optimism with you. A real tear-jerker this journey that may as well start in San Francisco at the Bi Center last fall where my wife and I stopped while on vacation. An expected part of that holiday revolved around self-awareness and rediscovering concretely that I am bisexual. The unexpected part was the tar pit depths of my depression following that news. After the agonizing and steady course of self doubt was curtailed by growth and counseling--I have arrived at perhaps one of the finest and most sublime periods in my life. Being capable of embracing more love in my life our family has expanded to include children and various combinations of lovers/friends/partners, whatever. Our marriage is strong, dependable and likely to continue as we have demonstrated to each other our capacity for understanding love, acceptance and change. It's working! The impossible dream that I dreamed came true. Always a price of course, but what splendid rewards. Our lives are full and rich, priorities meaningful (I gave up television!) and possibilities so fun to entertain. Even here in the wilds of Oregon!

I remember talking with some people at the Center who seemed to feel a despair similar to what I once felt and to them especially I want to impart warmth, encouragement and--hang in there it's worth the wait.

Love,
J.

P.S. I held on to this letter a month to be sure it wasn't just a passing high.

P.S.S. Have a back issue from Jan-Feb 83? You missed me/I didn't get it. Thanks.

P.S.S.S. Thanks to those folks who give so much of themselves. The newsletter is a real kick!

Bisexual Women

Who is the bisexual woman? If you keep up with contemporary mythology, you know that she is easily identified by her herpes sores. She has sexually transmitted diseases because she sleeps around, and she'll sleep with anyone. She's either confused about her sexuality or else she's in transition; in any event, she's not very stable and should be avoided until she makes up her mind, if ever. She's not committed to women at all. She can't commit to a relationship with a woman. She can't be monogamous. She's male identified. Her existence is the Achilles' heel of the women's community. She can't be trusted in love, friendship or politics. She's "passing" for straight in order to get the privileges that lesbians can't have. When she makes love to you she's wishing you had a penis. She's just marking time until "Mr. Right" comes along, and she'll marry him in a minute, forgetting all about what you meant to each other, slamming the closet door shut and throwing away the key.

More realistically, she doesn't necessarily fit the myths. She's the woman you met at the bar last night. She's the first feminist author you ever read. She's your lover. She's your plumber. She's your favorite musician. She was beside you at the protest rally last week. She's a poet who lived hundreds of years ago. She's an alcoholic. She's a doctor in the emergency room. She's a prostitute. She's your supervisor at work. She's your child's babysitter. She's the wife in the couple who had an ad in Swinger's Magazine. She's a suicide prevention hotline volunteer. She's your neighbor, your professor, your therapist, your sister. Your closest friend. She's the woman sleeping next to you. You've known her for 2 years and she never told you she was bi. Because: (pick one)

A) You told her she wasn't, and she decided not to argue the point. B) It never came up. C) She knows that if she tells you, pretty soon everyone will know. D) You told her that you thought screwing men was disgusting. E) You told her you thought men were disgusting. F) You told her you thought bisexuals were disgusting. G) She's afraid of what will happen if she tells you. H) She knows what will happen if she tells you. I) It's none of your business. J) Every time she tried to tell you you'd change the subject.

How many bisexual lesbians are there? Nobody knows, because they can't tell people in the straight community about their lesbian selves, and they can't tell people in the lesbian community about their straight selves. Because their silence keeps them from being aware of and/or forming a bisexual community, it's hard to even estimate how many there are.

But here's one way for you to guess how many bisexual women exist in the lesbian community: The next time you find yourself surrounded by lesbians, at a workshop, a bar, a party, a dance, a benefit, a rally, a rap group, a class, ask yourself how many women would still be there if all the bisexual lesbians got up and left. Ask yourself what would happen if all the bisexual lesbians removed their names from the petitions, removed their dollars from the lesbian community, removed their donated time from the causes, removed their voices from the literature, removed their bodies from the beds.

It's just a hypothetical situation, since bisexual lesbians are a large and irremovable part of the lesbian community, even if many lesbians treat them with insults, ignorance, stereotyping, exclusion, rejection, invalidation, and, worst of all, silence.

R. Drew
San Francisco

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My buddies and I are leering at the women while on duty.

Secretly I'm also leering at the men.

Why? Because I'm Bi.

I go out, telling my buddies I'm cruising.

I don't tell them that I'm cruising men.

Why? 'Cause I'm Bi.

I like the Army and I'd like to stay in.

But I have to Lie.

Why? Because I'm Bi.

Jon D. Kizzia

TRANSITIONS

The Center welcomes new board member Autumn Courtney, who has volunteered to be our social director. The first results of her labor have been witnessed in the many womens events warmly received in the last two months, and she is planning several more including co-sexual events. Please give her your support and let her know what events you would like (and would like to sponsor?) in the upcoming months.

Current board member Becca Thomas, who has recently computerized our mailing list to make it much easier to determine when memberships are due in addition to facilitating Newsletter mailings, has volunteered to take on the additional task of Treasurer of the Bi Center effective October 1st. Accepting what is often a rather thankless job, we wish her well. Don Honor, who has taken what was a rather messy and unorganized accounting system and made it a model to emulate, deserves our thanks for his efforts as Treasurer.

BOARD MEETINGS

The next two meetings of the Board of Directors of the Bisexual Center will be held on Monday, September 12, and Monday, October 10 at 7:30 PM at the Bi Center. Meetings of the Board are open to Bi Center members only. We invite members who have a special interest in sharing their ideas and suggestions to attend.

HAPPENINGS

It has been a wonderfully productive summer for bisexual awareness. Seven must truly be a magical number. There is a burst of new energy and new directions within the community. We started the summer off with our annual 4th of July retreat at School House Canyon Campground. John and Vernice Fuller have always extended themselves to make us feel welcome, but this year they put in overtime. Maggi and David were in the Dave Lamble Talk Show again on July 9 talking about the new political activism of Bi Pol and the emergence of bi militancy. Maggi was on the Don Chamberlain Talk Show again on July 14. Rick Crain, director of the AIDS/KS Foundation, gave a presentation at the Center and talked about the need for each of us to develop a personal health care program and the importance of supporting each other through these scary times. David has been involved with the AIDS Political Action Network on behalf of Bi Pol, and as a result was part of the Department of Public Health's AIDS Educational Planning Group which met throughout the summer. Part of the many things that came out of those meetings was the importance of addressing the concerns of the bi community. With the help of Chris Bowman and Debra Freelander the Bi Center co-created a magnificent three-hour Bisexual Awareness educational program for the Coalition for Human Rights. The people involved included Nate Brown, Steven Brown, Alan Broussard, Debbie Caust, Joanne Clapp, Neil Fullagar, Arlene Krantz, David Lourea, Maggi Rubenstein, Rebecca McDuff, Charlene Michael, Lee Olivier, Jay Paul, Margo Rila, Alan Rockway, and Sonika Tinker. While only eight of the 50 members of CHR showed up, the effect of the program has been far reaching. Charlene spoke in August about her bisexual lifestyle, and the Bi Center sponsored a booth at the Castro Street Fair, as did Bi Pol.

-David Lourea

A BISEXUAL PERSPECTIVE

An interview with Maggi Rubenstein.

Bi-Monthly: As co-founder of the Bisexual Center, what originally made you realize the need for establishing such an organization?

Maggi: For many years I'd felt denied and rejected by straight and gay/lesbian people as a bi woman. I kept searching on my own for someone, anyone who could validate my sexual/social feelings for both sexes. When I co-founded San Francisco Sex Information, we included, in the training for volunteers, a bisexual dimension. Out of the SFSI community emerged many strong bi people. The immense sense of relief I felt, finding others who were like me, encouraged Harriet Leve and I to organize a community center for bisexual people so that others would not have to struggle alone. Harriet and I got many friends together, including David Lourea, Lee Olivier and Margo Rila, who as I did felt that the time to start a Bisexual Center had arrived. Since then, the hundreds of people who have come to the Bi Center have validated to me the importance of such an organization. Since we started, the word has spread throughout the Bay Area, the USA, and the world.

In my workshops at the Institute for the Advanced Study of Human Sexuality, people come from many areas. Teachers, educators, therapists, and other people helpers, thanks to the existence of the Bi Center, feel that other organizations like it can exist worldwide. We are pioneers, explorers, looking at the love and friendship people who have same and other sex feelings can give to each other, as well as to other communities.

Bi-Monthly: What needs did you as a bisexual person have that could not be met by the remainder of society?

Maggi: As a bi person I know that the society at large has been uncomfortable and unaware, in its monosexual bias, about acknowledging people like us. I looked for 20 years, and was constantly rebuffed by therapists, teachers, group leaders, partners, who told me bi's didn't exist, that we were just confused or copping out. As a bi person who is committed to my community, having a Bi Center was the obvious answer, so that people would no longer need to come out alone in a hostile world. In the society at large we exist everywhere, yet we were treated as if we were invisible. We were ridiculed, trashed, rejected. I couldn't wait for "society" to catch up. Harriet Leve and I knew that the only answer was to empower ourselves and our bisexual sisters and brothers.

Continued next issue.

EVENTS

POTLUCK GARDEN PARTY

Join us at Don Berrigan's beautiful home for a dinner/dance outside. Bring your favorite dish to share and your dancing shoes. Don's home is in North Oakland--1082 57th Street. Carpools will be arranged. Call Don at 652-7400 or Autumn at the Center for directions.

When: Friday. September 30th
Time: 7:00 PM
Place: Above, or meet at the Bi Center at 6:00 for carpooling
Donation: $5.00 members
$7.00 non-members

MASSAGE NIGHT FOR MEN

Various massage techniques will be demonstrated, then we will practice on each other. Bring a sheet, towel, oil and a snack to share. No explicit sex.

When: Friday, September 23rd
Time: 8:00 PM
Place: The Bi Center
Donation: $4.00

PICNIC DAY AT ANGEL ISLAND

Due to the Castro Street Fair, last months' scheduled picnic at Angel Island was postponed until Sunday, September 18th, when we will definitely go for a day of picknicking and fun. Bring your good cheer, a lunch (and possibly something to share) to the Bi Center at 8:30 AM on Sunday, September 18th, for carpooling to the ferry at Tiburon. Round-trip fare is $2.75 for adults, $1.50 for children. We're asking a $2.00 donation to the center; contact Nate if you have any questions.

MOVIE NIGHT

For both men and women. "BOTH/AND" will be shown; this film begins with a group of nude people discussing their experiences and how they came to call themselves bisexual. Topics raised will be: monogamy & jealousy, rejection by gays & straights, coming out, and relationship issues. There will be an open forum to discuss these topics. Refreshments will be served. Open to members only.

When: Thursday, October 6th
Time: 7:30 PM
Place: The Bi Center
Donation: $5.00 (members only)

HALLOWEEN PARTY (THE BIG ONE!!!)

Here is your chance to come as your favorite fantasy. No costume is too outlandish for this one! Start Halloween early--come to the Bi Center for "tricks"(?) and/or "treats"(?). Refreshments, of course.

When: Saturday, October 29th
Time: 9:00 PM
Place: The Bi Center
Donation: $7.00 for members
$9.00 for non-members

PLANNING MEETING FOR HALLOWEEN

Be in on the hottest party of the year. You can be a part of this grand event, by helping us plan, set up and decorate. Those who help will get in free. Join the fun by coming to the Bi Center for our planning meeting on Thursday, October 13th. 7:30 PM.

BI SUPPORT GROUP IN BERKELEY

For women, men, couples. Meets Sundays, 7:30 PM, at the Pacific Center, 2712 Telegraph Ave. For more information, call the Pacific Center at 841-5224, or Don Honor at 482-2819.

SO. CALIF. BI CENTER

For members visiting the southland, the Bi-Social Center, 7136 Matilija Ave, Van Nuys 91405 is a place to meet and socialize; their newsletter describing upcoming events is available for S.A.S.E. to above address.

Community Bulletin Board

COUPLES GROUP

A closed group for couples where one partner is bisexual and one is not will be starting in early October. The group will meet weekly at the Bisexual Center for ten to twelve weeks, and will look at such issues as monogamy, multiple relationships, relationship contracting, bi-phobia, and partner support systems. The group will be facilitated by Cliff Heaphy and Jay Paul. Interested couples should contact Cliff or Jay or leave them messages at the Bi Center (929-9299) as soon as possible. Cliff and Jay will meet with individual couples before the group begins to discuss their personal needs and goals in the group. Fees will be arranged on a sliding scale basis.

WOMEN'S RAP GROUP

At 7:30 PM on the 1st and 3rd Mondays of each month, the Bisexual Center offers a drop-in rap group for women to share their thoughts and feelings around issues of bisexuality. Not a self-help therapy/support group or an intellectualization session, but an opportunity to meet with women and share relevant issues in our lives. All women are welcome. A $3.00/$5.00 donation will be requested.

A.A. GROUP

Sponsored by a local group of Alcoholics Anonymous, the "Bi Bye Booze" group meets each Monday night at the Bi Center from 7:00 to 8:00. New members are welcome.

SAN DIEGO BI CENTER

I had the pleasure of meeting Fred Klein, author of The Bisexual Option (still available at Multimedia Resource Center) at the Seventh Anniversary Party, and he informed me that there is a new group in San Diego formed for bisexuals. They meet once a month, and have different activities, lectures, panels, socials. In the tradition of the Bi Center, even a potluck party! For those who may wish to visit, contact Fred at the Bi Forum, 3821 4th Avenue, San Diego 92103. Phone: 619-293-3381.

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TUESDAY/WEDNESDAY RAPS

We encourage you to support the Center by participating in the regular Tuesday and Wednesday rap groups. These are the main source of income for the Center, and attendance has fallen off of late. We know a lot of you do attend the raps, some quite regularly, and we'd like to encourage the rest to do so. These raps are just what the name implies--a meeting place to discuss issues relating to your present or recent experiences, and not for therapy or problem-solving. If you would like support for your feelings and issues, these are the places to ask for it. Starting at 7:30 and going until about 10, we ask for a donation of from $3 - $5. Hope to see you there soon!

AUDIO-VISUAL LIBRARY

An audiovisual library is being established at the Bi Center, encompassing all material in either the audio or video medium on bisexuality, including radio talk shows, television appearances, panels and conferences (such as the recent Bi-Pacific Conference), and other media events. The library will be coordinated by Nate Brown, and eventually will be available for rental by Bi Center members. If you have any materials that you have recorded, either audio or video, please let him know the details, and whether you would be able to deposit a copy at the Center for use by members.

DOUBLE VISION

Double Vision is a quarterly newsletter and directory for bisexual men, women and couples. Membership supported, it is national in scope although at least half of its ads are from California. It is a way by which bisexuals who wish a confidential introduction service in order to meet others with the same needs and desires, may do so in a creative and constructive way. Membership of $12.50 for one year includes their newsletter and publication of your personal ad. A sample copy may be had for $3.75 by writing to Double Vision, P.O. Box 1107, Richmond, Ca. 94802.

BI-MONTHLY CALENDAR 1983

SEPTEMBER

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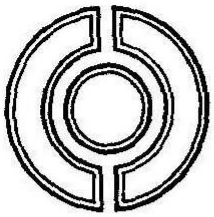

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